REMARKS

To supplement the arguments presented in the amendment filed May 18, 2009,

Applicants further submit that Malik does not claim the benefit of any provisional. More

specifically, despite indicating priority in the published application, the attached documents (i.e.,

the original filing receipt, the corrected filing receipt, the first page of the application, and the

request to correct filing receipt) clearly indicate that priority was never claimed in Malik. For at

least this additional reason, *Malik* is not prior art and claims 1 - 20 are allowable.

If, in the opinion of the Examiner, a telephonic conference would expedite the examination

of this matter, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (770) 933-9500.

Respectfully submitted,

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